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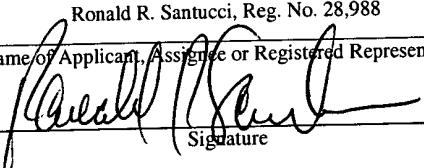
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Dear Sir:

Applicants enclose herewith formal drawings for the above referenced patent application. Four (4) sheets of drawings comprising four (4) figures are enclosed.

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